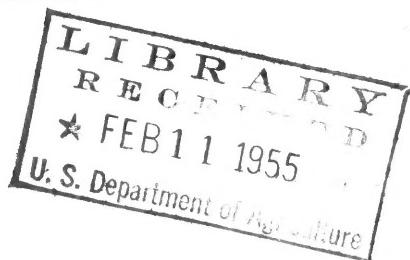


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FOLEY GARDENS

FREEPORT, ILLINOIS

Greetings and Best Wishes to Our Friends Everywhere.

We are truly grateful that 1954 was an unusually good year for **Foley Gardens**. We hope with all our hearts it was a year of joy, prosperity and good health for everyone everywhere.

Your orders were larger and we filled many more of them from old and new friends and customers than in any previous year. Yes, indeed, we are grateful and thank you for your confidence and trust. We are all the more determined to continue to supply you with quality bulbs from which you are sure to have blooms of amazing beauty.

The forces of nature in this area combined to give us a most favorable growing season for both flowers and bulbs. Our flowers were in demand from Florists in distant cities. Letters from customers all over the U. S. expressed delight and satisfaction with blooms they grew from **Foley Garden** bulbs.

We received many nice thank you letters from old and new customers who were so happily surprised because we were so generous in filling their orders. This policy will be continued throughout 1955. Our bulb crop is State Inspected both in field and storage. All stock we ship will meet the standard of good quality of the Federal Trade Commission.

This is our 21st year of growing gladiolus and other bulbs. This catalog is our 11th. We prize and greatly value your goodwill and friendship and acknowledge our great responsibility of supplying you with bulbs, which will produce spectacular blooms—blooms that will be the “pride and joy” of the most discriminating growers and gardeners.

I am sure you will join with us in giving thanks that there is now no conflict involving our service men and women. We fervently hope and pray for a lasting peace and that you may enjoy the blessings of a happy 1955—a year of good health and prosperity. A year that will richly reward you with flowers of all kinds to add cheer and beauty to your garden and home.

Sincerely,

FOLEY GARDENS



Bulbs having a retail value of from 15 to 50c each will be used in this Collection. You are sure to have magnificant, prize winning spikes from the large and jumbo bulbs like those pictured above, each will measure from 1½ to 2 inches or more across.

It is indeed a pleasure to again offer you this sensational collection for only \$2.00 and to unconditionally guarantee that every bulb will grow and produce a beautiful spike of bloom.

The main reason this collection is being offered again is because of the huge number of advance orders received before our new catalog was printed. The varieties used in the collection this year will be entirely different than those used a year ago.

Each variety has been carefully chosen from many new varieties, field-grown, tested and checked for 3 years or longer. None were "babied" or "pampered". Only those performing to our complete satisfaction, those with consistent records of magnificant spikes of sparkling beauty were chosen for this most outstanding bulb offer we have ever made.

Here is a retail value of at least \$3.50 to \$4.00, priced so low that no one need deny themselves the joy and satisfaction of having the most beautiful glads you have ever grown. There will be no two alike and as each variety is listed and accurately described in our catalog, I am sure you can identify each one when it blooms by simply referring to the catalog description of newer and more expensive varieties.

By Popular Request
We Repeat Our
**ANNIVERSARY
COLLECTION**
Of 25
New and Famous
**GIANT
FLOWERING
GLADIOLUS**

You can enjoy these new and spectacular glads from early summer until late fall. Simply plant one or more collections every 2 or 3 weeks. Make your first planting in the spring as soon as the ground is warm and your last planting 8 to 10 weeks later.

Now you can make your dreams of "more beautiful glads" come true. And if you want a gift to delight a flower-loving friend, relative or neighbor, you certainly could not select anything more suitable to give.

You may order as many collections as you need. Each will be packaged separately. When you receive your shipment we know how pleased you will be that the bulbs are so bright and shiny, healthy and high-crowned, many nearly as round as an "orange"—bulbs that will give you towering spikes with blooms from 4 to 6 inches or more across.

You can make substantial savings by ordering more than one collection. If you order three or more collections we will include a special gift for you which we know you will be thrilled to receive.

2 10th Anniversary Collections....	\$3.90
3 10th Anniversary Collections....	\$5.75
4 10th Anniversary Collections....	\$7.55
5 10th Anniversary Collections....	\$9.35

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY

WE GUARANTEE COMPLETE SATISFACTION OR YOUR MONEY BACK. All bulbs and plants are guaranteed to be true to name and free of injurious insects and disease. If you have a complaint of any kind at any time PLEASE TELL US, so that we can make an adjustment or correction satisfactory to you.

ORDERING

PLEASE SEND YOUR ORDER AS EARLY AS POSSIBLE. Use the convenient order blank enclosed. All orders will be acknowledged when received.

BECAUSE OF INCREASED POSTAGE RATES WE CANNOT ACCEPT ORDERS FOR LESS THAN \$2.00 UNLESS YOU INCLUDE 25c EXTRA TO COVER SPECIAL HANDLING AND EXTRA POSTAGE.

YOU MAY ORDER 3 BULBS AT THE 10 RATE, but no single item for less than the smallest unit listed. In other words if a variety is listed at 2 bulbs for twenty cents, we cannot sell one bulb for ten cents, as the packing costs and extra work involved will be too expensive.

FREE BULBS

This is our 21st year of growing Gladiolus and other bulbs and our 11th year of issuing a retail Catalog. We are grateful that the forces of nature gave us a bountiful crop of bulbs. In appreciation of your generous orders of previous years we will again be very liberal with free and extra bulbs when filling your order from this catalog.

You are cordially invited to share in our success. Yes, the treats are on us, so send in your order promptly. We know you will be happily surprised when your shipment arrives and you find out how generous we have been. It will help us to please you if you will mention varieties you would like to try.

SHIPPING

ALL RETAIL ORDERS ARE SHIPPED BY PARCEL POST. WE PAY THE POSTAGE. Your permission to ship as early as possible will be greatly appreciated. However if you specify a definite shipping date we will be guided by your wishes and instructions.

SPECIAL NOTICE

If you wish bulbs shipped during June or July, we will be glad to accommodate you providing you will place your order during MARCH, APRIL or EARLY MAY. The earlier the better. Then while our stocks are complete we can select your bulbs and keep them in storage until time to ship. All such orders should be accompanied with at least a 25% down payment.

SELECTING VARIETIES

Many times we are asked, "What varieties should I buy?" or "which ones would we recommend?" Such questions are difficult to answer, because what would please me you may not like at all. A lot depends on colors you prefer and for what purpose you want the blooms. REMEMBER that if we did not think a variety was worthwhile it certainly would not be listed.

It has always been our policy to be honest, fair and as accurate as possible in describing each variety. On this basis you can make your selections with full confidence, that those you choose will perform excellently if you will give them reasonable care and attention.

Each year we find it necessary to make some changes in varieties. It is impossible to list them all or grow them all. If a new or old variety will not perform satisfactory for us from one year to the next, we think it would be most unfair and unethical to sell bulbs of such varieties to you.

New varieties grown during 1954 were spectacular, some truly sensational, still others most disappointing. A few that show promise will be tested another year. The varieties that grew well and behaved like good glads appear in our list because we feel they are worthwhile. You may order all varieties we list with complete confidence. Grow them with reasonable care and they will thrill you with their height, floret size and amazing beauty.

To grow bulbs that will produce the kind of spikes and blooms you want we use the most up-to-date methods, modern machinery and follow carefully, successful cultural directions. Our bulb fields are well tended, cultivated regularly and kept free of weeds and harmful insects. This involves a tremendous amount of work and supervision, but strong, vigorous growing plants which will produce good healthy bulbs are of first importance to us, and EVEN MORE IMPORTANT TO YOU.

We cannot profitably grow either new or old varieties, which will not consistently give a high percentage of fancy marketable spikes and the choice, strong and healthy bulb we must have for filling your orders.

SIZE OF BULBS

Bulbs are graded into six different sizes, ranging from No. 1 the largest, to No. 6, the smallest. The No. 1 size is $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches or more in diameter, No. 2 for $1\frac{1}{4}$ to $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches. Sizes 3, 4, and 5 vary $\frac{1}{4}$ inch down to size 6, which is $\frac{1}{2}$ inch or smaller.

In the retail list you will notice we list large, medium and small. Sizes 1 and 2 are

large, 3 and 4 medium and 5 and 6 small. You will always get the largest bulbs we have of the size you order. If you order large size and we are out of the No. 1 size, then all we can do is use the No. 2 size. But when this is done you will get extra bulbs to make up for the smaller size.

Remember we use only good, healthy young bulbs in filling all orders. From these you can depend upon having those big, husky spikes you will be proud to display and exhibit to your friends and garden visitors.

You can count on large bulbs to produce the largest blooms and spikes. Medium sized bulbs will nearly always bloom, though somewhat later and often with less buds on the spike. Small bulbs of most varieties will bloom but the spikes and flower heads will be shorter.

RETAIL PRICE LIST

Name of Originator is shown in parenthesis following variety name. Floret size is designated (Giant) 5½ inches in diameter and larger. (Large) 4½ to 5⅔ inches. (Medium) 3¼ to 4⅔ inches. Blooming time is indicated as (Early) (Midseason) or (Late).

ABBU HASSEN (Pfitzer . . . Med. . . Early) A beautiful glossy, deep blue-violet. The color is rare among glads. Plants are medium height and blooms always correctly spaced on a straight spike. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 60c. Bbts. 100 for 35c.

ACE OF SPADES (Session . . . Midseason . . . Large) An almost black deep maroon-red. The florets have a glistening sheen, are nicely ruffled and wide open. Placement always good. Flower heads up to 30 inches with 20 buds and at least 6 open at a time. Lg. 1 for 50c or 10 for \$4.00. Med. 1 for 35c or 10 for \$2.80.

ALFRED NOBEL (DeBe . . . Giant . . . Midseason) We are happy to offer you this new, giant glad, a soft salmon-rose with white throat. Makes extra long spikes, has good floret placement. Highly recommended. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 70c. Bbts. 35 for 50c.

ARC de TRIUMPH (K and M . . . Early . . . Large) A soft creamy yellow with a much deeper yellow or golden throat. Florists asked for this glad repeatedly. Spikes are heavy, blooms always well placed. Flower heads a nice length, opens 7 and more. Lg. 2 for 30c or 10 for \$1.20. Med. 3 for 30c or 10 for 80c. Bbts. 25 for 25c.

ASTRID (Jack . . . Giant . . . Early) A ruffled beauty. We like it better every year. An easy-to-grow, clear medium rose. Opens 5 and more perfect blooms on a good heavy spike. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 70c.

"Can't let another year go by without telling you how much I appreciate the fine quality bulbs and good service. My glads were beautiful and the talk of the neighborhood. Thanks for the many extras." Mrs. L. Forgy, Kans.

AUREOLE (Pruitt . . . Large . . . Early) A beautifully ruffled light yellow. Opens 6 or more well placed and attached blooms. Spikes are tall and willowy. A wonderful glad we are sure you will like. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 70c.

BEAUTY'S BLUSH (Fischer . . . Giant . . . Midseason) We rate this stunning, soft, blush pink as one of the best in this color. An easy-to-grow beauty that can stand any kind of weather and open 7 to 8 lovely blooms on a heavy spike. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 70c. Sm. 4 for 20c or 10 for 40c. Bbts. 60 for 25c.

BENJAMIN BRITTON (K and M . . . Med. . . Early) A deep toned lavender that everyone likes. Florists asked for it all summer. A wonderful variety and certainly a good grower. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 65c. Sm. 5 for 25c or 10 for 40c. Bbts. 75 for 25c.

"I am enjoying the most beautiful glads I ever grew. Thanks for such fine bulbs. Want more next spring." Mrs. Wm. Slocum, Ia.

BETTY DUNCAN (Benedict . . . Large . . . Midseason) A stylish frosty orange blending into a soft creamy yellow throat. Grows vigorously to a height of more than five feet. Flower heads are unusually long with from 5 to 7 beautiful blooms open at a time. We would rate "Betty Duncan" as one of the most outstanding of newer glads. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 80c.

BLACK OPAL (Errey . . . Med. . . Early) A sensational, tall-growing, very dark red. Opens 8 to 10 perfect blooms on a long flower head. One of our most popular varieties and excellent for exhibition. Lg. 2 for 20c or 10 for 80c. Med. 4 for 25c or 10 for 50c.

BLUE BEAUTY (Pfitzer . . . Large . . . Early) The best known and most popular medium blue. Opens 5 to 6 wide open blooms on a good spike. Lg. 2 for 20c or 10 for 80c. Med. 4 for 25c or 10 for 50c.

BOULOGNE (Salmon . . . Giant . . . Midseason) A silky wine-red much like the color of the American Beauty rose. One of the best from Holland. Opens 8 giant blooms on an extremely long flower head. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 60c. Bbts. 100 for 35c.

"The bulbs arrived safely and certainly are fine. Thanks for the free bulbs you included." Mrs. A. J. Dellget, W. Va.

BUCKEYE BRONZE (Wilson . . . Large . . . Midseason) A large burning bronze. Distinctive, unusual, and beautiful. Has many ribbons to its credit. Lg. 2 for 20c or 10 for 80c. Med. 4 for 25c or 10 for 50c

BURMA (Palmer . . . Large . . . Midseason) If we could grow only ten varieties Burma would be one of them. A heavily ruffled, rich, deep rose. Opens up to 10 perfectly placed blooms. An outstanding variety, very highly recommended. Lg. 2 for 20c or 10 for 80c. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 60c. Bbts. 100 for 35c.

C. D. FORTMAN (Kadel . . . Midseason . . . Large) A heavily ruffled blush-pink beauty that opens 8 at a time on a towering spike of 21 buds. This variety is almost a sure winner on the show table. One of the "must haves." Lg. 1 for 25c or 10 for \$2.00. Med. 2 for 30c or 10 for \$1.20.

CHERBOURG (Salmon . . . Large . . . Midseason) Here is a beautiful deep rose colored glad we know you will like. It's a grand variety for cutting, grows straight and tall and holds up like a champion during extreme heat. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 70c.

CIRCE (K and M . . . Giant . . . Midseason) A massive, plain-petalled scarlet-orange with a delicate cream marking in the throat. Makes wonderful spikes. A great new Glad for the fancier. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 2 for 20c or 10 for 70c. Sm. 4 for 25c or 10 for 60c. Bbts. 50 for 25c.

COLONEL ATKINSON (Williams . . . Large . . . Late) A new, deep-toned lavender. If you like to display towering spikes with 10 to 12 open blooms, this variety will really give you a thrill. A prize winner wherever shown. Certainly a strong, robust grower and a sparkling beauty. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 70c. Bbts. 75 for 30c.

COLUMBIA (Roberts . . . Midseason . . . Large) A clear creamy white heavily edged, medium rose. Petals are lightly frilled, well attachd on straight graceful spikes. Columbia has all the earmarks of a greatly improved Corona. Lg. 1 for 25c or 10 for \$2.00. Med. 2 for 30c or 10 for \$1.20.

CORONA (Palmer . . . Giant . . . Midseason) When well grown, Corona just can't be beat. A beautiful, soft, creamy pink with a rose picoted edge on each petal. Our bulbs of this variety are the nicest we have ever offered. Lg. 2 for 20c or 10 for 85c. Med. 4 for 25c or 10 for 50c. Bbts. 100 for 30c.

"My glad bulbs arrived in perfect condition. When I opened the box it was like opening a surprise package instead of an order. I was overjoyed with the quality and quantity of all the bulbs. The Regal lilies were wonderful. Thanks again." Mrs. John Klenner, Minn.

COVER GIRL (LaSalle . . . Giant . . . Midseason) A medium pink with a sensational winning record at shows everywhere. Makes wonderful spikes from any size bulbs. Opens 10 and more giant size florets on a tall spike with an extremely long flower head. Lg. 2 for 20c or 10 for 80c. Med. 3 for 20c or 10 for 55c.

"The glad bulbs I purchased from you last spring turned out excellent. Your generous overcount and extras were greatly appreciated. Please rush your new catalog." A. L. S., New York.

CREAM ORCHIDS (Fischer . . . Early . . . Large) A beautifully ruffled and lacinated cream. Here is one of the most beautiful varieties in existence—a grand cut flower and one florists can not get enough of. Lg. 1 for 25c or 10 for \$2.00. Med 2 for 35c or 10 for \$1.40.

CRINKLE CREAM (Ellis . . . Large . . . Midseason) A nicely ruffled, beautiful, soft creamy yellow. Just wish you could have seen our Crinkle Cream in bloom during late August. Every spike was perfect. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med 3 for 25c or 10 for 60c. Bbts. 50 for 25c.

DIEPPE (Hassall . . . Large . . . Midseason) A beautiful, dazzling, deep salmon-red. Another variety we couldn't be without. Dieppe is truly a magnificent, ruffled beauty that will produce grand champion spikes right down the row. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 60c. Bbts. 75 for 25c.

DR. FLEMING (K and M . . . Large . . . Very Early) An intensely ruffled, soft salmon-pink. Opens 8 perfect blooms on an average height plant. Its earliness and beauty make Dr. Fleming a valuable variety for commercial purposes. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 60c. Bbts. 75 for 30c.

DUSTY MILLER (Elliott . . . Large . . . Midseason) A well-named smoky, old rose, nicely marked with cream and white. One of the most reliable smokies opening 8 large blooms on a 20 bud spike. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 65c.

ELIZABETH THE QUEEN (White . . . Giant . . . Midseason) This magnificent, outstanding lavender still reigns supreme. Beautifully ruffled blooms on always straight spikes. A great exhibition variety preferred by everyone. Lg. 2 for 20c or 10 for 80c. Med. 4 for 25c or 10 for 60c. Sm. 8 for 25c. Bbts. 100 for 30c.

ELMER'S ROSE (Fischer . . . Large . . . Midseason) A wonderfully heavily ruffled new deep rose. Opens 7 to 8 leathery textured blooms on long flower heads. Spikes easily grow five feet tall and so uniform that this new rich colored rose will gladden your heart as a cut flower for exhibition and commercial use. Lg. 1 for 25c or 10 for \$2.00. Med. 2 for 30c or 10 for \$1.20. Bbts. 50 for 25c.

ETHEL CAVE COLE (Cave . . . Early . . . Early) An old timer but still a grand light pink that will out perform many of the newer pinks of this color. Opens 8 and most other buds show color. Spikes heavy and straight. Lg. 3 for 30c or 10 for 80c. Med. 4 for 25c or 10 for 50c.

EVANGELINE (Palmer . . . Giant . . . Midseason) A beautifully ruffled light rose with a rich creamy throat. Opens 8 to 10 florets on spikes often 6 foot tall. A great show Glad. Many times Grand Champion. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 70c. Bbts. 50 for 25c.

FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE (Harris . . . Large . . . Midseason) Here is a new white we would place among the "10 best." A waxy, lacy white with a cream glow in the throat. Opens 6 to 8 beautiful florets on very tall spikes. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 60c. Sm. 10 for 35c. Bbts. 50 for 25c.

FRIENDSHIP (Fischer . . . Large . . . Early) A beautiful, soft, pure pink in great demand. Opens 8 gracefully ruffled florets. Makes wonderful spikes from bulbs of all sizes. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 3 for 25c. or 10 for 65c. Sm. 10 for 40c. Bbts. 50 for 25c.

GAIL (Farrington . . . Large . . . Midseason) A new light lavender shading to deeper lavender at the petal edges. The lower petals have rose-cerise pencilings deep in the throat. Gail grows tall, never crooks and always produces stretchy spikes with from 7 to 9 open florets. A sensational beauty. Lg. 1 for 20c or 10 for \$1.60. Med. 2 for 30c or 10 for \$1.20. Bbts. 25 for 25c.

GAYLORE (Harris . . . Large . . . Midseason) A beautifully light salmon pink with a distinct cream throat. Gaylore grows those long tapering spikes that are a joy to cut. Here is a variety everyone praises—a glad that seems to enjoy out-doing itself from year to year. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 70c. Bbts. 50 for 25c.

"Algonquin, Burma, Crinkle Cream and Leading Lady were wonderful. Others were excellent too. I know now it pays to buy good young bulbs. Thanks for the extras you sent."

G. S. Stauder, N. Y.

GENE (Farrington . . . Medium . . . Early) A heavily ruffled, medium yellow. Opens 8 lovely florets on spikes of average height. Wonderful grower and its earliness greatly increases its value. Lg. 2 for 30c or 10 for \$1.20. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 70c. Bbts. 40 for 25c.

GENERAL EISENHOWER (Salmon . . . Giant . . . Midseason) A massive pink, a giant for height, flower size, and length of flower head. A rugged grower, so vigorous even medium bulbs produce huge spikes. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 60. Bbts. 100 for 35c.

GOLD (Marshall . . . Large . . . Early) There is no yellow we have seen approaching the rich golden color of Gold. The blooms are slightly ruffled, well placed and attached. The plants grow strong and rugged. If you want size and vigor combined with real beauty, here it is. Yes, Gold is really a supreme beauty. Lg. 1 for 25c or 10 for \$2.00. Med. 2 for 35c or 10 for \$1.40. Bbts. 20 for 25c.

GRAND MONARCH (K & M . . . Giant . . . Midseason) A huge growing red with a rosy overcast. Here is another towering Holland variety that everyone seems to like. Its only fault is that it grows to such an immense height and sometimes needs staking to support the large spike. Lg. 1 for 30c or 10 for \$2.40. Med. 2 for 35c or 10 for \$1.40. Bbts. 10 for 25c.

HANS VAN MEEGEREN (K and M . . . Large . . . Midseason) A rich canary yellow, the nicest of this color we grow. Florets beautifully shaped and perfectly placed on a spike of exact proportions. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 60c. Bbts. 75 for 30c.

HARRY HOPKINS (Salmon . . . Large . . . Midseason) This silky, deep rose-red is one of the best of this color we have ever grown. Certainly vigorous, and it's really a pleasure to see and cut perfect Harry Hopkins spikes right down the row. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 60c. Bbts. 100 for 35c.

"Thank you for the wonderful bulbs. The nicest and most generous order I have ever had. Thanks also for the extras." Jennie Whitehead. Tex.

HEART'S DESIRE (Fielder . . . Giant . . . Midseason) Here is another glad rating high on our list of "most beautiful." Heart's Desire is supremely beautiful, opening up to 8 waxy, pastel salmon blooms. The florets have a creamy yellow throat and are nicely ruffled. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 2 for 20c or 10 for 80c.

HEIRLOOM (Klein . . . Giant . . . Midseason) An orchid-lavender that has been Grand Champion many times. It lives up to a reputation of real stylishness and beauty and is indeed a long needed addition to the lavender class. Heirloom will produce wonderful spikes with up to eleven waved florets open and other buds showing color. Grows 5 feet tall—a great new glad. Lg. 1 for \$1.00 or 10 for \$8.00. Med. 1 for 75c or 10 for \$6.00.

HIGH FINANCE (Wilson . . . Large . . . Late) Like smokies? An old one but still one of the best. A smoky orange-gray with a creamy throat. Opens up to 8 nicely waxed blooms. Nice for cutting and wonderful for exhibition. Lg. 2 for 20c or 10 for 80c. Med. 4 for 25c. or 10 for 50c.

JO. WAGENAAR (K and M . . . Giant . . . Midseason) Here is a new huge deep red. The lower petals are marked with a faint white line that adds distinction and class to the huge flowers that open perfectly on long flowerheads. This variety withstood terrific heat for 2 straight years and was a perfect performer for us each year. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 70c. Bbts. 50 for 25c.

JOHANN STRAUS (K and M . . . Large . . . Early) A bright red of such vivid color that one is reminded of a glad "on fire". This variety is one of the earliest to bloom which of course increases its value as a garden and cutting variety. Growing habits are good. Spikes straight, placement excellent and opens 6 to 8. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 70c. Bbts. 50 for 25c.

JUNE BELLS (K and M . . . Large . . . Early) A sturdy growing, nicely ruffled, early white. We grow thousands of June Bells for our customers and can highly recommend this variety as a great all-purpose glad. Lg. 2 for 20c or 10 for 80c. Med. 4 for 25c or 10 for 50c. Bbts. 100 for 25c.

"I received the Glad bulbs and they were really nice. I am so pleased and thanks loads for the many extras." Mrs. V. Meyer, Ill.

KARDINAL SPELLMAN (K and M . . . Giant . . . Midseason) For successive years this massive growing rose-red with a violet cast has been spectacular. Florets have a leathery texture, are always perfectly placed. We first grew this variety in 1951. You will like Kardinal Spellman. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 55c. Bbts. 75 for 30c.

KING DAVID (Carlson . . . Giant . . . Midseason) Here is a magnificent new deep purple with a velvety red throat and a silver picotee edge around the petals. The florets are heavily ruffled and fluted having a satiny texture. Tall spikes with 22 to 24 buds will have up to 10 open with as many more showing color. King David has and will, win highest awards everywhere. Lg. 1 for 20c or 10 for \$1.80. Med. 2 for 30c or 10 for \$1.20. Bbts. 20 for 25c.

KING SIZE (Hartman . . . Giant . . . Midseason) A great new glad that has won ribbons at shows everywhere. The color is clear medium salmon with faint carmine lines on a rich creamy throat. This glad is well named because it really outdoes all others in growing and actually towers above others when grown from large bulbs. A great glad for exhibition and for cutting also. Lg. 1 for 75c or 10 for \$6.00. Med. 50c or 10 for \$4.00.

LAVENDER LACE (Fischer . . . Large . . . Midseason) A massive growing lavender with a glowing cream throat. Lavender Lace can be rated as one of the most beautiful lavenders of all time. It grows with lots of ruggedness but still has class and stylish charm. A great glad we highly recommend. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 70c. Bbts. 50 for

LEADING LADY (Johnson . . . Large . . . Midseason) A beautiful cream white sport of Picardy with perhaps the greatest show winning record of any glad. Leading Lady is still prominent and most widely grown, often being named Grand Champion. Lg. 2 for 20c or 10 for 80c. Med. 4 for 25c or 10 for 50c. Sm. 10 for 30c. Bbts. 100 for 35c.

LEEUWENHORST (Salmon . . . Giant . . . Midseason) A massive growing light rose tinted lavender. The huge flowers are perfectly placed. An all-weather glad that cuts right down the row and grows faster than weeds. Lg. 2 for 20c or 10 for 80c. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 60c. Bbts. 100 for 35c.

LEIF ERICKSON (K & M . . . Midseason . . . Giant) Here is a new tall growing cream that has won the "Award of Merit." A wonderful glad that we predict will become one of the finest cut flowers. Opens up to 8 and 10 firmly attached blooms. Lg. 1 for 20c or 10 for \$1.60. Med. 2 for 30c or 10 for \$1.20.

"I won the Grand Prize at our flower show with Spic and Span, Red Charm was second. Elizabeth the Queen was wonderful. You were right, I just wasted my time with the old worn out bulbs I had. Here is my order for \$27.50." James Clark, Ind.

MANCHU (B. Palmer . . . Giant . . . Midseason) A beautiful deep yellow overlaid with a flush of pink and with a bright, stylish, diamond shaped red blotch in the throat. The spikes are magnificent, growing to a height of 5 feet and taller. The blooms are slightly ruffled and 6 to 8 open at a time on arm length flower heads. Manchu is an unusual and certainly an attention commanding variety. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 80c. Bbts. 50 for 25c.

MANSOER (Salmon . . . Large . . . Midseason) A glossy maroon with a brownish cast. The unusual color and great vigor of Mansoer steadily increases this variety's popularity. Every bulb will make a wonderful spike. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 60c. Bbts. 50 for 25c.

MARIA GORETTI (DeBe . . . Midseason . . . Giant) This new white from Holland has performed spectacularly for us. The huge florets have a frosty sheen and are always well placed and strongly attached. Lg. 1 for 30c or 10 for \$2.40. Med. 1 for 20c or 10 for \$1.60. Bbts. 10 for 25c.

MARIMBA (Palmer . . . Large . . . Midseason) If you like the "six-footers" here is an amazing glad for vigor and length of flower head. An attractive light buff with faint shades of pink. Lg. 2 for 20c or 10 for 80c. Med. 4 for 25c or 10 for 50c. Sm. 10 for 30c. Bbts. 100 for 30c.

MARSHALL MONTGOMERY (Salmon . . . Midseason . . . Giant) A glistening dark velvety red slightly shaded a lighter scarlet. Blooms have a wonderful sheen. A favorite of everyone who see it. Opens 6 to 8 nicely ruffled florets. Lg. 2 for 30c or 10 for \$1.20. Med. 2 for 20c. or 10 for 80c. Bbts. 25 for 50c

MEMORIAL DAY (K & M . . . Midseason . . . Giant) A delightful new purple with a bluish cast. The color is rich and glowing. A strong and healthy grower. Opens 6 or more on a long stretchy spike. Very nice. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 70c. Bbts. 50 for 25c.

"My bulbs arrived last week. I never saw nicer bulbs and do I ever appreciate the fine lot of extras you sent." Mrs. M P. Mullinax, S. C.

MERRY WIDOW (Lustige Witwe) (K and M . . . Large . . . Midseason) A brilliant sparkling shade of purple and mauve with an attractive, cream half-moon throat blotch. This new glad from Holland performs so evenly and is so striking it's no wonder that garden visitors are attracted to it. A stunning glad we know you will like. Lg. 1 for 30c or 10 for \$2.40. Med. 1 for 20c or 10 for \$1.60. Bbts. 15 for 25c.

MORNING KISS (Salmon . . . Giant . . . Midseason) A giant white which, when well grown, will often reach a height of six feet or more. Each floret has a feathery lavender pink marking deep in the throat. Flower heads often reach a length of 30 inches. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 60c. Bbts. 75 for 25c.

"I furnished flowers for our Church. Every one was amazed at the beautiful colors and size of the blooms. People came from all over town to see my glads. Many wanted bulbs. I referred them all to you." Mrs. Eugene Baker, Wis.

MOTHER FISCHER (Fischer . . . Large . . . Midseason) We are happy indeed to list this outstanding new white which grows up to 5½ feet tall, with arm length flower heads. Here is a truly magnificent glad of such sterling growing habits that nothing more could be desired. The velvety white blooms are gorgeously ruffled and of such heavy, waxy substance, that a spike in bloom is really a thrilling sight to behold. Lg. 1 for 25c or 10 for \$2.00. Med. 2 for 30c or 10 for \$1.20. Bbts. 15 for 25c.

MRS. MARKS MEMORY (Pfizer . . . Giant . . . Midseason) A brilliant purple and a mighty nice variety. Grows tall, has lots of vigor and opens 6 to 8 lovely, well-placed blooms on a spike of perfect balance. Lg. 2 for 20c or 10 for 80c. Med. 4 for 25c or 10 for 50c. Bbts. 100 for 35c.

MRS. R. G. ERREY (Errey . . . Giant . . . Midseason) If this huge almost black velvety red has a fault, it's that it grows too big. The spikes are really so enormous that they sometimes bend over. Everyone likes this glad especially those who want the giants and dark, almost black, velvety reds. Lg. 2 for 30c or 10 for \$1.20. Med. 2 for 20c or 10 for 80c. Bbts. 15 for 25c.

"I am delighted with my glad bulbs that arrived today. Many thanks for the extra bulbs." Mrs. Clyde Dawson, Ill.

NEGUS (Salmon . . . Midseason . . . Large) This is one of the finest of the black red gladiolus available today. Tall spikes of 20 to 22 buds, opens up to 8 and 10 with remainder showing color. Florets have a heavy substance. Here is a glad that will stand sun, heat and wind. A show winner and a glad that's a must for the show grower. Lg. 1 for 25c or 10 for \$2.00. Med. 2 for 35c or 10 for \$1.40. Bbts. 10 for 25c.

NEW EUROPE (K and M) . . . Large . . . Late) A russet orange-red that is strikingly beautiful. The florets are lightly waved and from 6 to 8 are open on a stretchy and heavy spike with a long flower head. Lg. 2 for 20c. or 10 for 80c. Med. 4 for 25c or 10 for 50c. Bbts. 75 for 25c.

NEW YORK (Salmon . . . Large . . . Midseason) A dusky, silky rose-red. The plain-petaled blooms have a mellow-frosty glow, the color appealing to everyone. Spikes grow close to six feet tall. New York has been a favorite with us for three straight years. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 60c. Bbts. 50 for 25c.

NOWETA ROSE (Fisher . . . Midseason . . . Giant) A clear lavender-rose that has been the rose sensation ever since it was first introduced in 1950. Opens as many as 12 huge blooms on a spike of from 22 to 24 buds. Lg. 1 for 30c or 10 for \$2.40. Med 1 for 20c or 10 for \$1.60.

"My glads were perfect. I won 7 first prizes at our fair. Now all my friends and neighbors want bulbs from you. Every one wants Burma." Mrs. Dave Burkow, Ohio.

OCTOBER SUNSHINE (Quackenbush . . . Large . . . Midseason) A beautiful pastel shade of soft, orangy buff with a yellow shaded throat. This glad outdoes itself year after year, producing towering spikes with long flower heads from every bulb. A great commercial and always a welcome sight when in bloom. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 60c. Bbts. 50 for 25c.

ORANGE GOLD (Marshall . . . Large . . . Midseason) Here is a great glad, the only large flowered, true orange. The color is rare and plants easily reach a height of 5 to 5½ feet. A very important variety for both exhibition and commercial use. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 60c. Bbts. 50 for 25c.

ORIENTAL PEARL (Carlson . . . Giant . . . Midseason) The largest and strongest growing cream with blooms often 7 inches across. Spikes are massive. Always performs uniformly and when given a little special attention, Oriental Pearl can really be a masterpiece. Lg. 2 for 20c or 10 for 80c. Med. 4 for 25c or 10 for 50c.

"Here's my check for 1,000 bulbs. I was well pleased with my glads last year. The people all around raved about how beautiful they were." Mrs. T. Frack, Jr., Pa.

PACTOLUS (K and M) . . . Large . . . Early) Here is a spectacular beauty, a golden-buff with a brilliant scarlet blotch on the lower petals. A splendid grower. Each spike almost an exact duplicate of the next one. We grew thousands of Pactolus and had no where near enough. Highly recommended. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 60c. Bbts. 100 for 35c.

PALLETTE (Kooy . . . Large . . . Midseason) A new vermillion-red with a sharp contrasting, clear purple-blue blotch. An origination from Holland winning the Silver Challenge Cup for the best 1951 glad. The color is appealing and attracts everyone's adoration. We are proud to recommend Pallette. Lg. 1 for 25c or 10 for \$2.00. Med. 2 for 30c or 10 for \$1.20. Bbts 15 for 25c.

PARTHIENA (Hitchcock . . . Giant . . . Midseason) This mauve or lavender purple is one of the giants of the glad world. The spikes are huge, rivaling most all other giant glads. The 5½ to 6 inch florets are slightly ruffled and beautifully arranged on a spike that is perfect for exhibition or commercial use. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 70c. Bbts. 50 for 25c.

PATROL (Palmer . . . Large . . . Early) A beautiful, clear apricot with a yellow throat. This glad will really thrill you with its 10 open florets and remaining buds showing color. A fine exhibition variety that will stand all kinds of weather. Very highly recommended. Grand Champion many times. Lg. 1 for 20c or 10 for \$1.60. Med. 2 for 30c. or 10 for \$1.20. Bbts. 15 for 25c.

PAUL RUEBENS (Salmon . . . Large . . . Midseason) A beautiful reddish violet with a magenta cast. Very striking and unusual. The color is magnificent and spikes always well proportioned. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 60c. Bbts. 75 for 25c.

"The collection of all white and cream you made up for us, for our Mother's Day present to Mother, really thrilled us all when they bloomed. We certainly thank you for the present you sent, 3 bulbs of Silver Wings." John and Mary Stelcher, Nebr.

PHANTOM BEAUTY (Bastian . . . Large . . . Midseason) A very light salmon-pink. Its 10 to 12 open, close set blooms are a delight to see and make a display of color hard to describe. Phantom Beauty is a wonderful keeper and is destined to become one of the most popular of all American glads. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 4 for 25c or 10 for 50c.

"We sure had grand glads from the bulbs we purchased from you last year. Enclosed is my order and two others from friends." Mrs G. R. Marshall, Ill.

PICARDY (Palmer . . . Large . . . Midseason) A clear salmon-pink, the most popular variety in existence and still the most widely grown. Lg. 3 for 25c or 10 for 80c. Med. 4 for 25c or 10 for 45c Bbts. 100 for 25c.

POINSETTIA (Johnson . . . Midseason . . . Large) A new light red without markings. Blooms are slightly ruffled. Here is a rugged grower that seems to flourish in the heat. Opens 5 to 7 at a time on a rangy spike. Lg. 1 for 25c or 10 for \$2.00. Med 2 for 35c or 10 for \$1.40.

FOLYNESIA (K and M . . . Giant . . . Midseason) A leathery textured salmon of a deeper shade than Picardy. The florets are nicely waved and exquisitely marked with a creamy yellow and darker salmon blotch. It is a special pleasure to grow a glad of such high calibre as Polynesia. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 70c. Bbts. 25 for 50c.

RAVEL (K and M) . . . Large . . . Early) Here is the most popular blue glad of the present time. A medium violet-blue with a garnet marking. Florets are flat open on tall, strong stems. Large bulbs will make magnificent spikes with as many as 8 open. A great glad. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 4 for 25c or 10 for 60c. Bbts. 75 for 25c.

RED CHARM (Butt . . . Large . . . Early) A true red, opening 6 to 8 glossy blooms on fine proportioned spikes. Red Charm still holds its position as a glad of excellence. Lg. 2 for 20c or 10 for 80c. Med. 4 for 25c or 10 for 50c. Sm. 10 for 30c. Bbts. 100 for 30c.

"I had wonderful success with the glad bulbs purchased from you last year. All my neighbors want your catalog." Mrs. Erma Edwards, Ill.

RED CHERRY (Roberts . . . Large . . . Early) A bright red with a darker cherry red throat. The smooth waxy texture of this excellent variety gives it lots of class. Red Cherry is an excellent grower and an important early variety from the commercial standpoint. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 60c. Bbts 50 for 25c.

RED WING (Wright . . . Large . . . Midseason) A glossy light scarlet-red shading to a deeper throat. This fine glad has won the praise of growers everywhere. One must marvel at the tremendous flower heads with 8 to 10 blooms open. Red Wing is a natural for both the exhibitor and cut-flower grower. Lg. 2 for 30c or 10 for \$1.20. Med. 2 for 20c or 10 for 80c. Bbts. 50 for 25c.

"Thanks so much for the wonderful bulbs and extras. Be sure to keep me on your mailing list." Mrs. Irene Carr, Me.

ROSE CHARM (Fischer . . . Medium . . . Early) A tall clear rose and cream that is dramatic in uniformity. Rose Charm so far is the earliest glad to bloom and every bulb will produce tall spikes with 5 to 7 blooms open. This variety is perfect for charming arrangements. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 60c. Bbts. 75 for 30c.

ROYAL SCOT (Taylor . . . Large . . . Midseason) One of the nicest rose-purples we have ever grown. This new variety is a dependable grower, has nice long flower heads on stretchy spikes of 18 to 20 buds. Blooms open in a double row. We like "Royal Scot" and you will find it a grand variety for any purpose. Lg. 1 for 25c or 10 for \$2.00. Med 2 for 30c or 10 for \$1.20. Bbts. 20 for 25c.

SALMON'S GLORY (Salmon . . . Giant . . . Early) Here is an immense light cream with a carmine-red throat. One of the "first early" glads, opening 6 to 7 huge blooms on a perfectly balanced spike. Regardless for what purpose you grow glads, if you want real beauty combined with earliness, grow Salmon's Glory. Lg. 2 for 20c or 10 for 80c. Med. 4 for 25c or 10 for 50c. Bbts. 100 for 30c.

SAN SOUCCI (K & M . . . Midseason . . . Large) A beautiful glowing scarlet with a narrow cream line on the lip, a great new red rapidly becoming a sensation for cutting. Strong healthy grower. Opens up to 8. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 70c. Bbts. 25 for 25c.

"My bulbs arrived and they are so nice. You put in extras I know I will like. From now on I'll always order from you and recommend your firm to my friends. I'm sending another order for a Mother's Day gift." Mrs R. Herring. Miss.

SHERWOOD (Pruitt . . . Giant . . . Midseason) This tall, silky, reddish-purple will open 8 huge blooms on a tall strong spike. Florets are beautifully ruffled. You will be delighted with this outstanding glad which rates so high for garden or indoor display. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 70c. Bbts. 50 for 25c.

SILVER WINGS (Ritsema . . . Giant . . . Midseason) A glistening, milky white with a faint touch of cream in the throat. This sensational sport of Picardy has won ribbons galore and many times has been rated Grand Champion. Grows to a height of 5 feet and taller. Lg. 2 for 20c or 10 for 80c. Med. 4 for 25c or 10 for 50c.

"The bulbs are super-fine and I am happy and pleased. Thanks for the free bulbs and prompt service." Mrs. Oscar Schmidt, Mo.

SNOW PRINCESS (Pfizer . . . Large . . . Early) A lovely white grown by the acre for cut flowers. Snow Princess, though an older variety, is still one of the most uniform and easiest to grow of all the whites. Lg. 3 for 25c or 10 for 70c. Med. 5 for 25c or 10 for 40c. Sm. 10 for 25c. Bbts. 200 for 30c.

SALMON'S SENSATION (Salmon . . . Midseason . . . Giant) Truly a sensation among the blues. A nice medium blue that opens 6 or more 6 to 7 inch blooms on a spike often growing 6 feet tall. The plants are big and strong to support the large towering spikes. Many times a champion at the shows. Lg. 1 for \$1.00 or 10 for \$8.00. Med. 1 for 75c or 10 for \$6.00. Bbts. 3 for 25c.

SPIC AND SPAN (Carlson . . . Large . . . Midseason) A heavily ruffled deep pink, one of the most prominent glads of recent years. Makes almost unbelievable spikes from even small bulbs. Opens 8 to 10 perfect blooms with 6 or more buds showing color. A variety which is a joy to grow and cut. Practically in a class by itself from standpoint of "Grand Championships." Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 60c. Sm. 10 for 40c. Bbts. 100 for 30c.

"Thank you for your nice letter. I'll be in the market for lots of bulbs this coming year and you may be sure I'll purchase them from you."

Mrs. O. L. Smith, Ind.

SPOTLIGHT (Palmer . . . Large . . . Midseason) Here is a clear yellow with a tiny spark of red deep in the throat. Spikes grow tall and straight. Medium sized bulbs will produce marvelous spikes and bloom. Another glad you can cut right down the row. Lg. 2 for 20c. or 10 for 80c. Med. 4 for 25c or 10 for 50c. Sm. 10 for 30c. Bbts. 100 for 25c.

STORMY WEATHER (Barrett . . . Large . . . Midseason) Here is one of the finest smokies we have ever seen. A beautiful combination of lavender and grey with a creamy throat. Florets nicely ruffled, flower heads excellent length. Wins ribbons at shows everywhere. A delightful variety to grow and cut. Lg. 1 for 25c or 10 for \$2.00. Med. 2 for 30c or 10 for \$1.20. Bbts. 25 for 25c.

SUNSPOT (Roberts . . . Large . . . Midseason) An apricot-buff with a soft reddish throat blur. Sunspot has a remarkable capacity of producing grand champion spikes. The color combination is perfect and when you see 7 and more big blooms open on a tall spike, it's no wonder everyone wants to grow this grand variety. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 3 for 25c. or 10 for 60c. Bbts. 75 for 30c.

SWEET SIXTEEN (Fischer . . . Large . . . Early) Here is a glad that well deserves its top rating. The color is a fresh-toned pink. Sweet Sixteen is the dream-girl of the glad world and is not only now tremendously popular, but will become more in demand right along. This sport of Beauty's Blush shares the same magnificent habits of producing tall, 5 foot spikes right down the row. You will be thrilled with the pure beauty of this new glad and delighted with its growing performance. Lg. 1 for 20c or 10 for \$1.60. Med. 2 for 20c or 10 for 90c. Bbts. 30 for 25c.



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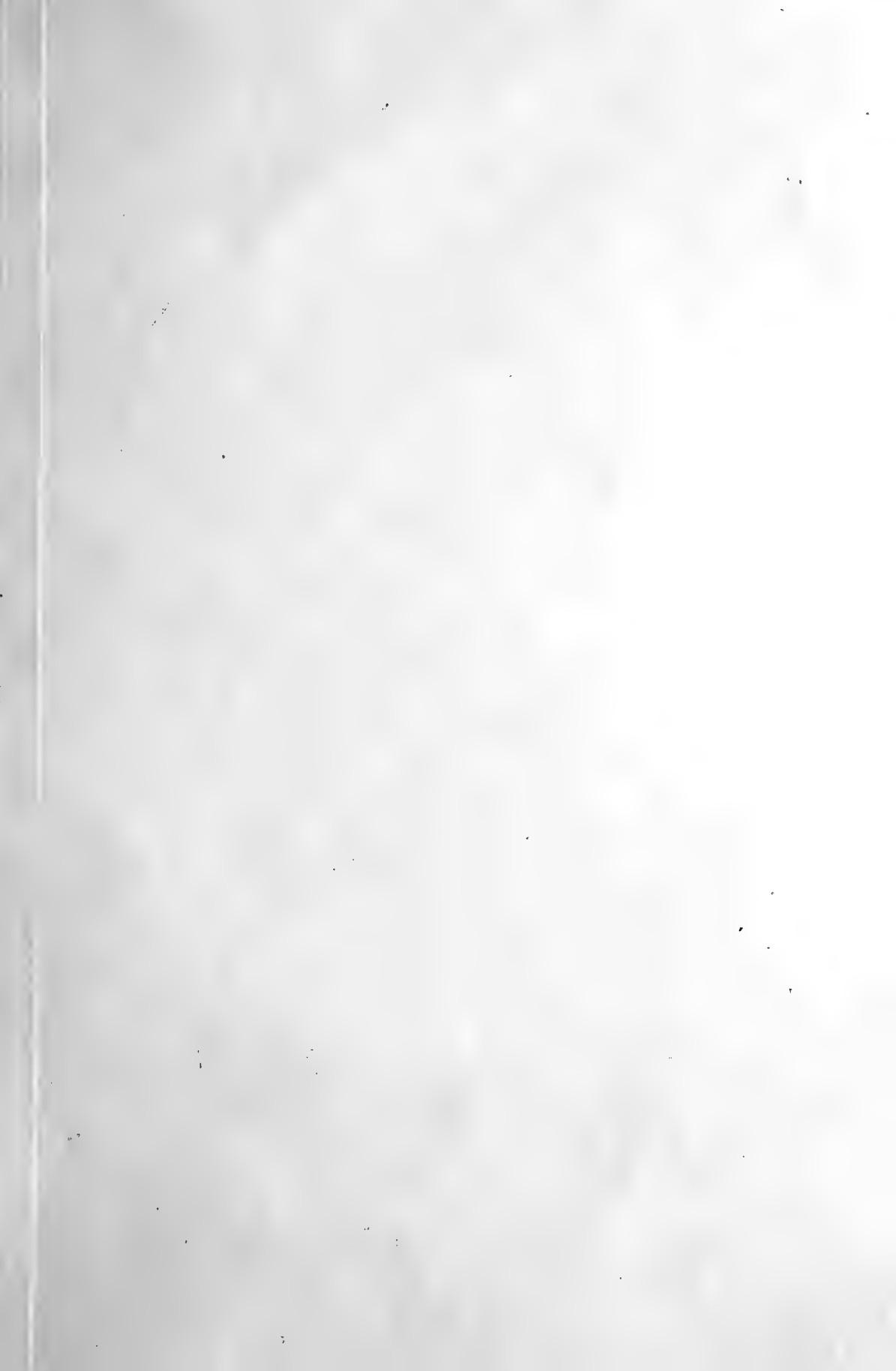
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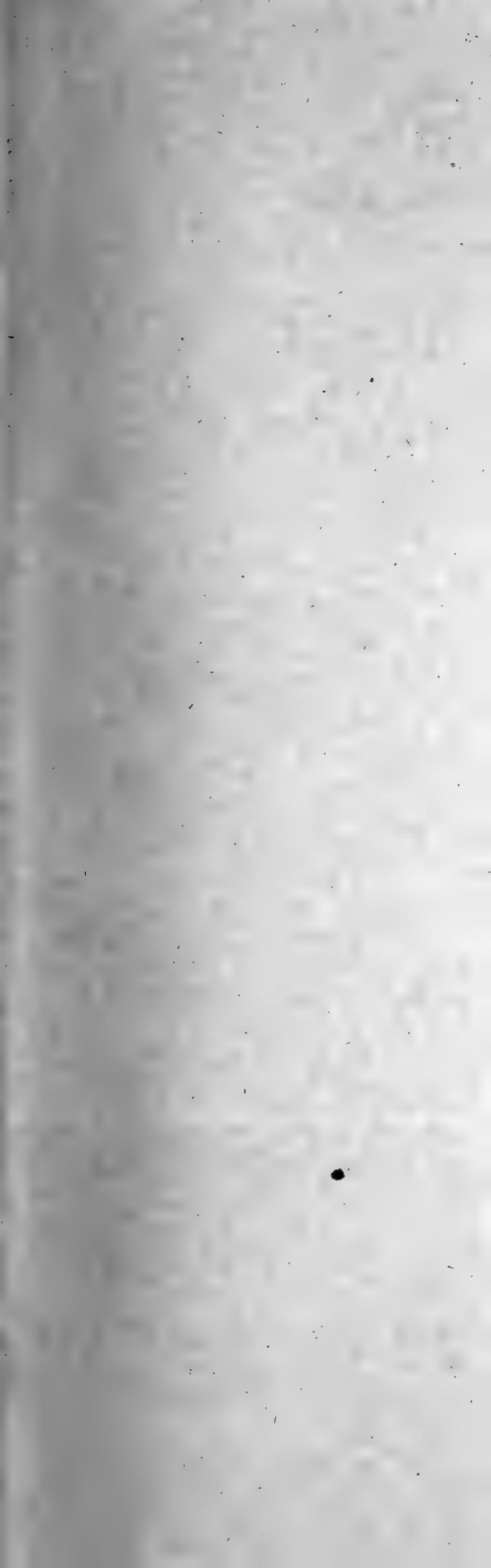
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TERRIFIC (Wilson . . . Midseason . . . Large) A deep canary yellow that has the thrilling capacity of opening 12 to 13 well placed blooms on flower heads of amazing length. Florets have a satiny sheen we are sure you will like. Lg. 1 for 25c or 10 for \$2.00. Med. 2 for 30c or 10 for \$1.20.

TIVOLI (K and M . . . Large . . . Midseason) A beautiful rose-pink which we nominate as one of today's 10 best glads. Tivoli opens 7 to 9 perfectly spaced florets on spikes 5 feet tall. This variety is an unbelievably good cutter, a glad that will be a delight for you to grow. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 70c. Bbts. 100 for 30c.

"I sure was pleased to receive such nice glad
Want more next spring." Mrs. L. Doubek, Wis.
bulbs and many thanks for the extra bulbs.

THE RAJAH (Jack . . . Midseason . . . Giant) A heavily ruffled rich reddish purple that appeals to everyone. Opens 6 and more wide open and well attached blooms with 8 and 10 more showing good color. A purple destined to become more popular every year. Lg. 2 for 35c or 10 for \$1.40. Med. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00.

THE PRESIDENT (Salmon . . . Midseason . . . Large) A delicately salmon pink with a frosty sheen. A pastel color everyone likes. Opens 6 to 8 on a tall husky spike. With only average care this variety will thrill you with marvelous spikes. Lg. 2 for 30c or 10 for \$1.20. Med. 2 for 20c or 10 for 80c. Bbts. 20 for 25c.

"Thank you for being so generous. It certainly is a pleasure to be a customer of yours."
E. Butler, Wis.

TRAIL'S END (Ficht . . . Giant . . . Midseason) A deep rose, slightly flushed with lavender with a large creamy yellow throat. The well placed, 7 to 8 blooms that open at a time are slightly ruffled and strongly attached to a well proportioned spike. Trail's End is one of the nicest varieties of this color and an all around good grower. Lg. 2 for 30c or 10 for \$1.20. Med. 2 for 20c or 10 for 80c. Bbts. 25 for 25c.

UHU (K and M . . . Large . . . Midseason) A pastel colored smokey of the most unusual shades we have ever grown. The combination of soft colors is what seems to attract everyone to this uniform growing variety. If you like smokies don't pass Uhu up. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 80c. Bbts. 50 for 25c.

UNCLE TOM (Salmon . . . Large . . . Midseason) A decidedly different black-red with a deep purplish and brownish cast. Opens 6 to 8 on ram-rod spikes. A new and different novelty becoming more popular each year. While our stock is larger this year, orders already placed indicate another complete sellout. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 4 for 25c or 10 for 60c. Sm. 10 for 35c. Bbts. 60 for 25c.

"Your unlabelled collection is tops with us. We never had such variety of color, healthy plants and tall spikes. We bought unlabelled collections from.....and.....three straight years and only had 5 or 6 different colors. From now on we get our bulbs from you. Here is a list of friends wanting your catalog" .Geo. Simpson, N.C.

VAGABOND PRINCE (Palmer . . . Med. . . . Midseason) One of the most popular smokies of all time. A rich mahogany brown with a scarlet throat. Opens 8 to 10 perfect blooms on a tall spike. Lg. 3 for 25c or 10 for 70c. Med. 4 for 25c or 10 for 45c. Sm. 10 for 30c. Bbts. 100 for 25c.

VALERIA (Pruitt . . . Large . . . Early) A brilliant scarlet red grown by the millions for cut flowers. The bright color, earliness, and uniform performance classes Valeria as one of the famous glads. Lg. 3 for 25c or 10 for 75c. Med. 4 for 25c or 10 for 50c. Bbts. 100 for 25c.

VULCAN (Stevens . . . Large . . . Midseason) A nice magenta purple that is unusual and different. The purples are always popular and when a variety like Vulcan performs so evenly right down the row, it's really fun to grow and cut. Lg. 2 for 20c or 10 for 80c. Med. 4 for 25c or 10 for 50c. Bbts. 50 for 25c.

WEDGEWOOD (Fischer . . . Med. . . . Midseason) This delightful bluish lavender with its harmonizing cream throat is our nomination for one of the most beautiful glads. The florets have a waxy lustre and are nicely ruffled. Blooms are always precisely arranged on perfect spikes. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 60c. Bbts. 50 for 25c.

WHITE GOLD (Scheer . . . Giant . . . Early) A huge cream with a golden throat. Grows tremendous spikes from large bulbs. It's not unusual for White Gold to grow 6 feet tall and for florets to be 6 to 7 inches in diameter. Lg. 3 for 25c or 10 for 75c. Med. 5 for 25c. or 10 for 45c. Bbts. 100 for 25c.

"The glad bulbs were the largest and finest I have ever bought. The nice extra bulbs were more than I ever received from any other company. I am pleased and enclose another order." Frank Miller, W. Va.

WHITE GODDESS (Roberts . . . Early . . . Giant) A huge creamy white. Blooms have strong texture and are heavily ruffled. Opens 7 to 9 perfectly placed florets on a 22 head spike. Many times voted one of the most beautiful and strongest growing glads. Lg. 2 for 25c or 10 for \$1.00. Med. 3 for 25c or 10 for 70c.

Tuberoses

Easily recognized for their exquisite fragrance. One flower will scent an entire room—especially penetrating in the evening air. Grows to a height of 24 inches and more. Flower clusters with waxy white petals are strikingly beautiful at night when they shine and sparkle like white marble.

Plant bulbs to a depth of 3 or 4 inches in the border or open garden in any well drained soil after danger of frost is past. Tuberoses are not hardy and must be taken up in the fall and stored in a dry cool place.

Mexican Single. Height 30 inches. Pure white single flowers. Early bloomer.

Dwarf Double Pearl. Height 24 inches. Blooms early, bearing very double white flowers.

Single or double extra large bulbs. 2 for 40c. 6 for \$1.10. 12 for \$2.10.

Fancy Leaved Caladium

For a continuous foliage display from late spring to frost, no other plant equals these. They are easy to grow, thrive in partial, almost full shade. In the fall before freezing weather, dig and store them like Cannas. Or you can pot them for winter blooms indoors. Start them inside in February, March or April. Enjoy the rich color combination indoors until time to plant them out. Our large 1½ to 2½ bulbs represent a mixture of many different colors. Large bulbs do much better than smaller sizes. Each, 45c or 3 for \$1.15.



Here you see a large plot of healthy and vigorous growing Foley Garden gladiolus. This field produced many thousands of spectacular blooms and healthy, high crowned bulbs.



Our large well equipped ware-house provides spacious storage for careful curing and handling of all bulbs.



COMMANDO (flower
12 inches across.)

Huge dinner plate size dahlias can be grown from every one of the 7 varieties in our FANCIER'S ALL GIANT collection described on page 17.

A gloriously beautiful violet and white Gloxinia grown indoors from a Foley Garden bulb. Notice the large number of flower buds. The plant produced the amazing total of 60 flowers during the longer than 2 months blooming season.



This large field of well cultivated gladiolus produced nearly 100,000 high-crowned bulbs like those pictured on page 3. In all of our many years of growing glads we have never had more perfect bulbs.

Home Garden

Glad Collection "A"

63 LARGE SIZED BULBS

\$5.70 Value for Only \$4.95

18 PRIZE WINNING VARIETIES
TO CHOOSE FROM.

Each variety will be separately bagged and labelled. Guaranteed true to name.

Select 6 varieties, 10 bulbs of each; or 12 varieties, 5 bulbs of each. Order as many combinations as you wish. **BUT BE SURE TO NAME VARIETIES YOU WANT.** Besides the 60 large choice bulbs, we will include 3 or more bulbs of expensive newer varieties for you to try.

Alfred Nobel
Beauty's Blush
Burma
Cerbourg
Dr. Fleming
Elizabeth the Queen
Florence Nightingale
Friendship
General Eisenhower

Hans Van Meegrin
Jo Wagenaar
Leeuwenhorst
Polynesia
Ravel
Rose Charm
Salmons Glory
Spic & Span
Tivoli

Home Garden

Glad Collection "B"

Same as above except
medium sized bulbs

\$3.85 Value for Only \$3.35

Fancier's

Glad Collection "E"

\$6.10 Value for Only \$5.65

Here is an "honor roll" group of new and spectacular glads that every fancier and glad hobbyist should have in his collection. All are destined to become tremendously popular. They are supremely beautiful and grow with amazing strength and vigor.

3 Lg. Noweta Rose 3 Lg. Mother Fischer
3 Lg. Gold 3 Lg. Negus
3 Lg. Poinsettia 3 Lg. Leif Erickson
3 Lg. King David 1 Lg. Solman's Sensation

Fancier's

Glad Collection "F"

Same as above except
medium sized bulbs

\$4.20 Value for Only \$3.85

Superior Value

Glad Collection "C"

62 LARGE SIZED BULBS

\$7.70 Value for Only \$6.95

16 BLUE RIBBON CHAMPIONS TO
CHOOSE FROM. EACH VARIETY
GUARANTEED TRUE TO NAME
AND SEPARATELY BAGGED AND
LABELLED.

Select 6 varieties. 10 bulbs of each; or 12 varieties. 5 bulbs of each. We will include **FREE**, 1 LARGE bulb of PALLETTE AND GOLD WITH EACH COMBINATION YOU ORDER. Be sure to name the varieties you prefer.

Abbu Hassen	October Sunshine
Arc de Triumph	Parthenia
Evangeline	Red Wing
Gaylore	San Souci
Kardinal Spellman	The President
Marshall Montgomery	The Rajah
Memorial Day	White Goddess
New York	

All are easy to grow varieties and famous for beautiful color and abundance of blooms. You can't help but grow wonderful prize winning blooms from any or all of these.

Superior Value

Glad Collection "D"

Same as above except Medium
Sized Bulbs

\$5.25 Value for Only \$4.65

Treasure Chest

Glad Collection

Unlabelled

This assortment is hand picked from the very choicest bulbs and includes many newer varieties having a value up to 25c and 30c a bulb. Practically all colors and shades are represented and at least half of the varieties used in this collection are nicely waved or heavily ruffled.

If you wish you may specify the color you would like to have predominate in your collection. Then we can be guided accordingly in selecting the bulbs.

200 large and jumbo bulbs	\$9.75
100 large and jumbo bulbs	\$4.95
50 large and jumbo bulbs	\$2.65
200 med. sized bulbs	\$5.75
100 med. sized bulbs	\$3.00

WHOLESALE GLADIOLUS PRICE LIST

(NOT PREPAID)

25 bulbs of a size and variety at the J00 rate. Minimum order at wholesale, \$5.00. Overcount on all varieties plus varieties for trial. Bulblets sold by U. S. dry measure. All quotations subject to prior sale. Ask for special quotations on varieties not listed or for larger quantities of those listed.

Variety	Per	No. 1	No. 2	No. 3	No. 4	No. 5	No. 6	Bbts. $\frac{1}{4}$ Pt.	Bbts. Qt.
Abbu Hassen	100	6.00	5.00	4.00	.....	.....	.....	1.25	3.00
Alfred Nobel	100	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	.....	.....	1.25	3.00
Arc de Triumph	100	7.00	6.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.50	4.50
Beauty's Blush	100	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	.....	.....	1.25	3.00
Benjamin Britten	100	6.00	5.00	4.00	.....	.....	.....	1.25	3.00
Blue Beauty	100	6.00	5.00	4.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Boulogne	100	6.00	5.00	4.00	.....	.....	.....	1.00	2.50
Burma	100	5.50	4.50	3.50	.....	.....	.....	1.00	2.50
Circe	100	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	.....	.....	1.50	5.00
Dieppe	100	6.00	5.00	4.00	.....	.....	.....	1.25	3.00
Dr. Fleming	100	5.00	4.00	3.00	.....	.....	.....	1.00	2.50
Elizabeth the Queen	100	5.00	4.00	3.00	.....	.....	.....	1.00	2.50
Elmers Rose	100	7.00	6.00	5.00	4.50	.....	.....	2.00	6.00
Evangeline	100	6.00	5.00	4.00	.....	.....	.....	1.25	4.00
Florence Nightingale	100	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	.....	.....	1.25	4.00
General Eisenhower	100	5.50	4.50	3.50	.....	.....	.....	1.00	2.50
Harry Hopkins	100	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	.....	.....	1.00	2.50
Jo Wagenaar	100	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	.....	.....	1.50	4.50
Kardinal Spellman	100	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	.....	.....	1.00	2.50
Leading Lady	100	5.50	4.50	3.50	.....	.....	.....	1.00	3.00
Leeuwenhorst	100	5.00	4.00	3.00	.....	.....	.....	1.00	2.50
Mansoer	100	5.00	4.00	3.00	.....	.....	.....	1.00	2.50
Marshall Montgomery	100	7.00	6.00	5.00	4.00	.....	.....	1.50	4.50
Memorial Day	100	6.00	5.00	4.00	.....	.....	.....	1.50	4.00
Morning Kiss	100	6.00	5.00	4.00	.....	.....	.....	1.25	3.00
New Europe	100	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	.....	.....	1.25	2.50
Pactolus	100	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	.....	.....	1.25	2.50
Pallette	100	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	.....	.....	1.50	4.00
Paul Rubens	100	5.00	4.00	3.00	.....	.....	.....	1.00	2.50
Picardy	100	5.00	4.00	3.00	.....	.....	.....	1.25	2.50
Polynesia	100	6.00	5.00	4.00	.....	.....	.....	1.50	4.50
Ravel	100	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	.....	.....	1.25	3.50
Red Charm	100	5.00	4.00	3.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Red Wing	100	6.50	5.50	4.50	3.50	.....	.....	2.50	8.00
Rose Charm	100	5.50	4.50	3.50	.....	.....	.....	1.50	4.00
Salmon's Glory	100	6.00	5.00	3.50	.....	.....	.....	1.25	3.00
Snow Princess	100	4.00	3.50	3.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.00
Spic and Span	100	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	.....	.....	1.25	3.00
Spotlight	100	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	.....	.....	1.25	3.00
The President	100	7.00	6.00	5.00	.....	.....	.....	1.50	4.00
Tivoli	100	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	.....	.....	1.25	3.00
Valeria	100	5.00	4.00	3.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Uhu	100	7.00	6.00	5.00	4.00	.....	.....	1.50	5.00
Fancy Mixture	1000	26.00	22.00	18.00	14.00	12.00	8.00	.....	1.00

Giant Dahlias

The Dahlias we offer come from the Gardens of a famous Middle Western Dahlia fancier, whose judgment and knowledge of varieties is acknowledged and accepted by Dahlia enthusiasts and specialists everywhere. We feel highly honored to list varieties from his garden which he considers to be most outstanding and which can be guaranteed to be healthy, strong growers and free flowering.

We have had so many repeated requests for more Ball and Cactus type dahlias that we have included more of these in our list.

This year to show our genuine appreciation of your generous orders we will include free one or more named dahlias when your total dahlia order amounts to \$3.00 or more.

Tubers Only

Classification: (B) Ball type. (D) Decorative type. (C) Cactus type.

A. D. Livoni (B) A vigorous growing free flowering pink, one of the most popular dahlias of all times. Each, 35c. 3 for 95c.

Alice May (D) A new and greatly improved free flowering, exhibition white. Huge, perfect flowers on long strong stems. Each, 65c. 3 for \$1.80.

Avalon (D) A beautiful clear yellow having fine form and long stems. Flowers large and hold up well. Each, 35c. 3 for 90c.

Amelia Earhart (C) An old favorite Cactus variety of autumn shades. Has a great reputation for being a good grower. Fine for fall shows and exhibition. Each 75c. 3 for \$2.00.

Bertha Horne (C) A bronzy-yellow dahlia that likes to outdo itself in blooming. Nice long stems. Each 40c. 3 for \$1.00.

Celia (C) An exquisite pink with a soft and delicate blending of lavender. Wonderful for cutting. Each, 35c. 3 for 90c.

Commando (D) A huge purple with orchid and lavender shades. Dinner plate size flowers are up to 12 inches across. Each, 50c. 3 for \$1.35.

Daughter of Venus (C) A lavender variety of exquisite form and color. Here is a dahlia of fine habits, a free bloomer. Flowers are perfect for exhibition and cutting. Each 80c. 3 for \$2.15.

Diana (B) A brilliant lustrous scarlet. An easy grower with many long stemmed blooms. This is the true Marean Diana. Each 35c. 3 for 90c.



ZANTS PINK

Pictured above—A new Dahlia of amazing beauty—Dinner plate size flower.

D. M. Moore (D) For those who like the dark colors this maroon, almost black dahlia will amaze you. A very free bloomer and an excellent grower. Each, 40c. 3 for \$1.00.

Everybody's Favorite (D) An orchid dahlia that really is everybody's favorite. Flowers are large with good strong stems. For exquisite color and all around good growing habits there is none better. Each \$1.00. 3 for \$2.75.

Gallant Fox (D) A brilliant red that everyone prefers. Large flowers, long sturdy stems, good keeping qualities helps to make this variety universally popular. Each, 35c. 3 for 90c.

Governor Heil (C) A brilliant orange, most outstanding for color and vigor. The fine large blooms win ribbons in shows all over the country. Each, 55c. 3 for \$1.40.

Hillcrest Mandarin (D) A red and yellow dahlia that naturally grows big. The flowers are huge. Great for exhibition. Each 50c. 3 for \$1.35.

Jersey's Melody (C) A beautiful pink Cactus. Flowers have creamy yellow base. Well branched and free blooming. Each, 50c. 3 for \$1.35.

Josephine G. (D) A lovely pink dahlia with blooms of great depth and size. Produces exhibition blooms with little special attention. Each 50c. 3 for \$1.35.

Libelle (C) Here is a dahlia for the cactus dahlia fancier. The royal purple flowers and long stems make Libelle perfect for cutting. Each, 40c. 3 for \$1.00.

Montbello (D) A free blooming violet crimson that attracts everyone's attention. An outstanding variety with unusually large flowers. Each 60c. 3 for \$1.75.

Mrs. C. D. Anderson (B) Here is a brilliant crimson mauve ball type dahlia that produces an abundance of flowers over a long blooming season. Each 35c. 3 for 90c.

Mrs. E. J. (C) This lovely new cactus dahlia is famous for its exquisite form and large beautiful white blooms flushed delicately with pink. One of the "must havers." Each \$1.00. 3 for \$2.75.

Mrs. Geo. Le Boutillier (D) A great new addition to the giant red class. One of the most popular varieties that will be a delight in your garden and for exhibition. Each 50c. 3 for \$1.35.

Omar Khayyam (D) The huge blooms are red and orange. The colors blend so perfectly that this big dahlia attracts attention everywhere and wins many ribbons. Each 50c. 3 for \$1.35.

Osa Helen (C) A huge American beauty red of great popularity. One of the very best exhibition cactus varieties. A color seldom found in dahlias. Each, 50c. 3 for \$1.35.

Oyster Bay Beauty (D) A large oxblood red. Huge flowers are well formed on strong long stems. Excellent for exhibition. Each, 45c. 3 for \$1.25.

Red Chief (B) A fiery red that blooms profusely. Long stems make blooms ideal for cutting and for stemming arrangements. Each 35c. 3 for 90c.

Sharazad (D) Here is truly a huge pink dahlia of wonderful substance and form. A giant that will thrill you for size and beauty. Each 50c. 3 for \$1.35.

Sherwood's Peach (D) A strong and robust growing buff shaded salmon. The huge dinner plate size blooms often grow to be 12 inches across with a depth of 6 inches. Stems are cane-like for strength. Each 65c. 3 for \$1.80.

Storm King (B) A glistening white of perfect form. Blooms profusely. Flowers are ideal for stunning bouquets and arrangements. Each, 35c. 3 for 90c.

Texas (D) A beautiful orchid dahlia. Color is rare and exquisite. Flowers are large. Certainly a showy dahlia and one that combines well with other colors. Each, 45c. 3 for \$1.20.

The Commodore (D) One of the most dependable of all the giant yellows. The huge flowers last well and are a sensation for size, color and form. Each, 40c. 3 for \$1.10.

Wennigs White (D) A white dahlia of wonderful form and heavy substance. Flowers last well and are held on strong stems. Very popular. Each 50c. 3 for \$1.35.

Zadig (D) A giant golden buff that grows and grows to thrill you with many perfect huge blooms. A great variety for show. Each 50c. 3 for \$1.35.

Zant's Pink (D) A famous Zant variety for its lovely dark pink color and very vigorous growth. Bears an abundance of flowers that are excellent for showing. 1 for 75c. 3 for \$2.00.

Zant's Purple Beauty (D) A fine large exhibition purple with excellent growing habits. A real champion very highly recommended. Each 75c. 3 for \$2.00.

CHAMPION COLLECTION "A". One tuber each of the following varieties: JOSEPHINE G (pink), HILLCREST MANDARIN (red & yellow), MRS. C. D. ANDERSON (crimson mauve), MRS. GEO. LE BOUTILLIER (red), STORM KING (white), TEXAS (orchid), THE COMMODORE (yellow). Seven varieties. \$3.05 value for only \$2.65.

FANCIERS ALL GIANT COLLECTION "B". One tuber each ALICE MAY (white), COMMANDO (purple), OMAR KHAYYAM (red and orange), OYSTER BAY BEAUTY (red) SHARAZOD (pink), EVERBODY'S FAVORITE (lavender), SHERWOOD PEACH (buff). Seven huge flowering varieties. \$4.25 value for only \$3.85.

CACTUS COLLECTION "C". One tuber each AMELIA EARHART (autumn shades), BERTHA HORNE (yellow) DAUGHTER OF VENUS (lavender), GOV. HEIL (orange), JERSEY'S MELODY (pink), MRS. E. J. (white), OSA HELEN (red). Seven famous Cactus varieties. \$4.95 value for \$4.45.

Pompom Dahlias

The small bouquet Dahlias so popular for cutting and bouquets.

Tubers Only

Amber Queen. A charming soft apricot flushed amber. Outstanding for cutting. Each, 35c. 3 for 90c.

Bobby. A plum colored pompom of perfect form. Wonderful cut flower. Each 30c. 3 for 80c.

Challange. An attractive red tipped white. Flowers always perfect, stems long. Each 35c. 3 for 90c.

Jill. Here is a pompom you will enjoy—a buff colored dahlia that outdoes itself blooming. Each 35c. 3 for 90c.

Johnny. A bright, sparkling red of excellent form and beauty. Each, 35c. 3 for 90c.

Morning Mist. The finest of the whites. Each flower is faintly suffused with lavender. Very outstanding. Each 35c. 3 for 90c.

Phyllis. A new purple with excellent form. Fine for exhibition. Each, 40c. 3 for \$1.10.

Yellow Gem. A grand deep yellow of excellent form and good stems. Preferred for cutting. Each, 35c. 3 for 90c.

SPECIAL POMPOM COLLECTION "A"
One tuber each of the eight pompom varieties listed. \$2.80 value for \$2.50.

Miniature Dahlias

Tubers Only

These small type dahlias have become popular because of their usefulness in all kinds of bouquets and floral arrangements. Their freedom of bloom and good keeping qualities when cut continually increase their importance and popularity.

The miniature dahlias are smaller types of the giant and large flowering varieties. The flowers usually average from 3 to 4 inches in diameter.

Baby Royal. A lovely combination of salmon, apricot and yellow. Each, 35c. 3 for 90c.

Blue Eyes. A most attractive violet-blue. Nice for exhibition. Each, 35c. 3 for 90c.

Corinna. A wonderful deep yellow that makes up beautifully in all kinds of bouquets. Each, 30c. 3 for 80c.

Fairy. A tiny jersey's beauty pink. The lovely, dainty flowers make charming arrangements. Each 35c. 3 for 90c.

Grace O'Neil. Pink tipped white. Outdoes itself blooming. Lovely color combination. Each 35c. 3 for 90c.

Orchid Lady. An orchid miniature to thrill you with many exquisite blooms on long stems. Each 35c. 3 for 90c.

Princess Alba. A lovely white miniature. Produces perfect blooms over a long season. Each, 35c. 3 for 90c.

MINIATURE COLLECTION "A". One tuber each of the 7 miniature varieties listed. \$2.40 value for \$2.15.

HARDY GARDEN LILIES

Of all flowers, none is more beautiful than the Lily. Nor is any more famous in song or art than those lilies, long sanctified because of their gracefulness and exotic fragrance. You have glorious opportunities to enjoy the most interesting and beautiful varieties, planted either singly, or in groups.

Each lily has its individual character and flower shape, giving the plant and flowers a stately perfection of elegant beauty. We wish there was some better way than by the use of words and pictures to describe them. All are so beautiful, one could pick at random and draw a prize.

Lilies may be planted either in spring or fall. Bulbs of some varieties arrive so late that fall planting is impractical. These kinds can be successfully planted in early spring, through May, or during early June.

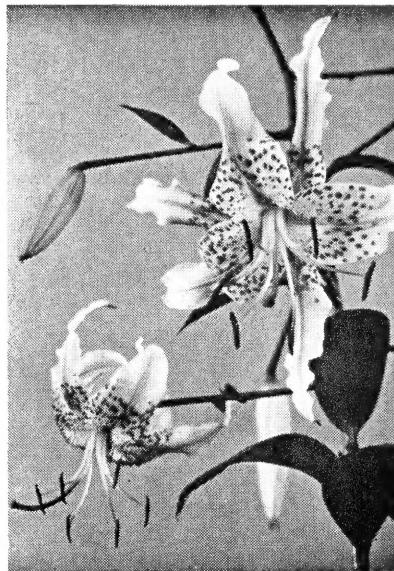
WE PREFER NOT TO SHIP LILIES FOR SPRING PLANTING AFTER MAY 25th. All bulbs are carefully packed in peat moss.

If you will carefully follow the simple planting and cultural directions we send free with each order, you can glorify your garden with Lilies that will become more graceful and beautiful year after year.

Lilium Auratum (Gold Band Lily) A native of Japan. The beauty and fragrance of the Gold Band Lily is known to lily lovers the world over. Nothing in your garden will thrill you quite so much as the true beauty of this lily. The flowers are huge ivory white in color with chocolate crimson spots and a bright gold band through the center of each petal. **Large Bulbs. Each 50c; 3 for \$1.35; 12 for \$5.00.**

Lilium Candidum (Madonna Lily) One of the oldest, loveliest and best known lilies. A favorite for its beauty and delightful fragrance. The flowers are snow-white, with heavy yellow stamens. From 3 to 20 flowers on a stem depending on size of bulb planted. Grows 3 to 4 feet tall. The bulb is hardy and needs little if any protection even in cold climates. Does best in full sun. Cover crown about 3 to 4 inches. **Large bulbs. Each 45c; 3 for \$1.25. 12 for \$4.50. SHIPPED ONLY DURING LATE AUGUST AND EARLY SEPTEMBER.**

Lilium Elegans (Cottage Lily) Blooms in June and sometimes as late as July. The blooms are large and deep mahogany crimson in color. The plant grows to a height of from 1 to 2 feet. This lily does well in a sunny or partly shaded location. **Large bulbs. Each, 40c; 3 for \$1.10; 12 for \$4.00.**



Lilium Speciosum (Rubrum)

Lilium Maxwill (Maxwill Lily) A brilliant bright orange red, with black spots, with as many as 25 to 40 blooms, on stems ranging from 4 to 6 feet in height. Blooms in July and this variety is adaptable to almost any soil condition. **Large bulbs. Each 40c; 3 for \$1.00; 12 for \$3.50.**

Lilium Pardalinum Giganteum (Sunset Lily) This lily under favorable conditions grows to an astonishing height of 5 to 7 feet. The blooms are large and of a crimson color, shaded to deep cream in the throat. The deep purple spots add to its beauty and attractiveness. The clumps should be divided every two to three years. Usually blooms in July. **Large bulbs. Each, 50c; 3 for \$1.35; 12 for \$4.75.**

"The Lily bulbs were grand. The blooms of all were beautiful. I took the Auratum (Gold Band) Lily to the fair for the flower display. It won the blue ribbon. I gave your address to many people. Be sure to send them Catalogs when they write.' R. Anderson, Indiana.

Lilium Regalianum (Regal Lily) A wonderfully fragrant lily with large white blooms flushed a deep purple rose. The flowers are trumpet shaped and the plants grow from 3 to 5 feet tall. This variety blooms in June and July. Bulbs should be planted to a depth of 7 to 8 inches and drainage should be good. **Large bulbs. Each 40c; 3 for \$1.00; 12 for \$3.00.**

Lilium Speciosum (Rubrum) One of the most beautiful of all lilies. The blooms are large and recurved. The colors vary from a rose pink to a carmine pink with crimson spots. Plants grow from 3 to 5 feet tall and prefer partial shade and good drainage. Large bulbs. Each, 45c; 3 for \$1.15; 12 for \$4.00

Lilium Tenuifolium (Coral Lily) Here is a lily that thrives in full sun and may be grown in any climate, except the desert. The medium sized blooms are a waxy, deep coral-red. Plants grow to a height of 2 feet and flower during late June or July. Prefers sandy soil and a planting depth of 5 inches. Large bulbs. Each, 30c; 3 for 75c; 12 for \$2.50.

Lilium Willmottiae (Swehwan Lily) One of the most outstanding and unusual of all lilies. Attracts the attention of everyone. The blooms are medium size on plants from 3 to 6 feet tall. The lovely orange red flowers are spotted black. Large bulbs. Each, 45c; 3 for \$1.25; 12 for \$4.50.

Special LILY Collection

One each of all varieties listed
except *Lilium Candidum*.

\$3.40 value for \$3.15

New and Popular Cannas

ALL TIME FAVORITES FOR BEDDING

Cannas are becoming increasingly popular. The new varieties with such large flowers and new colors certainly create a colorful display from July until frost. They do best in full sun and should be planted in good rich ground. For the most luxuriant growth give them an application of commercial fertilizer when plants are about 2 feet tall.

City of Portland. Leaves green and flowers rosy pink. Grows 3 feet tall with heavy foliage.

Copper Giant. A very fine pink, large flowers and heads, deep pink with a copper cast. Dark green foliage. Grows about 4 feet tall.

Hungaria. Best pink canna. Flowers big and petals large. Leaves a bluish green. Grows 3½ feet tall.

King Humbert. Grows 4 feet tall with scarlet flowers. The leaves are bronze. This grand variety has been a sensation for years.

King Midas. A lemon yellow dotted with red. Deep green foliage. An excellent dwarf variety about 3 feet tall.

The President. Attains a height of 3 feet. The color a rich glowing scarlet. Foliage green.

Yellow King Humbert. Flowers a rich yellow and blotched bright red. The foliage is a dark green. Grows 4 feet tall.

Wyoming. Tall growing. Immense flower heads of apricot-orange. Purple-bronze foliage. Orchid flowering type.

Large 3 to 5 eye roots

All varieties priced alike—2 for 30c; 12 for \$1.50; 100 for \$9.50.

NOTE—You may order any combination of varieties at the 12 rate or at the 100 rate. Each variety will be correctly labelled and bagged separately.

EVERYONE CAN GROW

Beautiful **TUBEROUS BEGONIAS**

- Giant Camellia Flowering
- Hanging Basket type
- Carnation Flowering

Luxuriant begonias growing in a shady outdoor location. They brighten and add glamour to nooks and corners where other flowers will not thrive.

IMPORTED

Giant Camellia Flowering Begonias

No other flower can equal the Tuberous Begonias for sheer, exquisite beauty. When you see the beautiful flowers, you will wish you had ordered more.

Tuberous Begonias are widely used as pot plants for winter bloom indoors. They are ideal for shady places outdoors and for northern exposures. A bed of them will provide a continuous supply of flowers from early summer until frost. The flowers are perfect for bowl or saucer arrangements for all types of parties and are ideal for corsages.

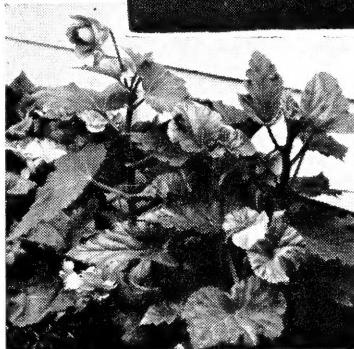
The giant Camellia type Begonias are by far the most popular. The plants grow strong and the large double flowers are supported on erect stems. The foliage is wax-like and luxuriant. The plants are not difficult to grow.

With each order we send complete growing instructions.

This year the bulbs we offer are imported direct from our grower in Belgium. They are the huge top size bulbs from 2 to 3 inches and more across. From these extra large bulbs you are sure to have wonderful plants with many, truly, giant size flowers, often 5 to 6 inches across.

2 to 3 inch bulbs:

Red, Salmon, Rose, White, Yellow, Copper, Crimson, Orange. 1 for 35c. 6 for \$1.65. 12 for \$2.95. 25 for \$5.65.
Mixed, 6 for \$1.45. 12 for \$2.70. 25 for \$5.15.



Bowl arrangement of begonias—note the size of the camellia like flowers—some 5 inches across—also frilled petals of carnation type. You will be delighted with the wonderful display of color (early summer to frost). Plants from our tubers bloom profusely.

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Pendula Begonias

(Hanging Basket Type)

Each plant produces hundreds of smaller double flowers. This variety is especially good for growing in porch or window boxes or even in the rock garden. They must be grown in a shady location. 1½ to 2 inch tubers. Colors, White, Red, Salmon, Yellow, Crimson and Orange. 1 for 35c. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.75, 12 for \$3.25.

Imported Carnation FLOWERING BEGONIAS

The petals of each flower are beautifully frilled and the blooms resemble large carnations. 1½ to 2 inch tubers. Colors, White, Red, Salmon, Crimson, Yellow and Orange. 1 for 35c, 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.75, 12 for \$3.25.

Begonias are available now.

We have shipments arriving every two weeks. Your orders are filled with plump, fresh bulbs.

**10 Varieties—Beautiful
New Shades and Colors**

VIOLET

BRILLIANT RED

VIOLET—WHITE THROAT

RED—WHITE BORDER

CRIMSON

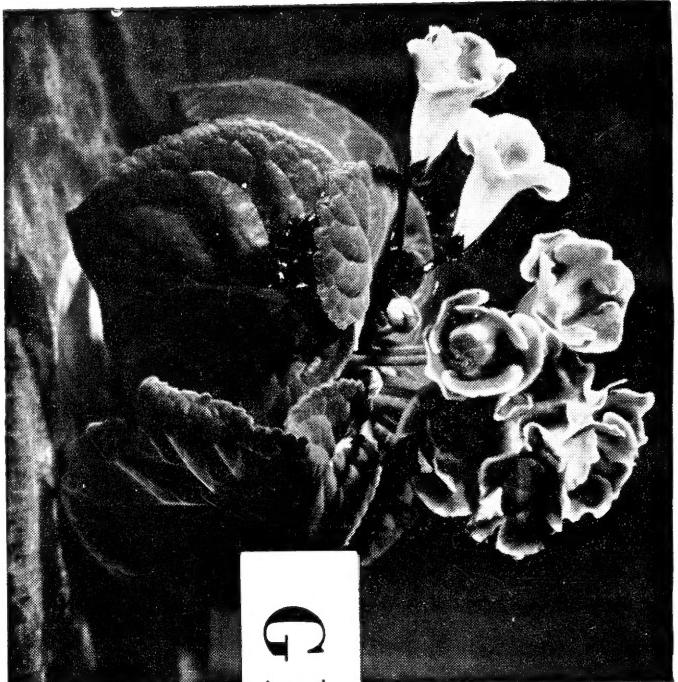
VIOLET—WHITE BORDER

LAVENDER

PINK—WHITE THROAT

WHITE

ROSE—WHITE THROAT



Gloxiniias

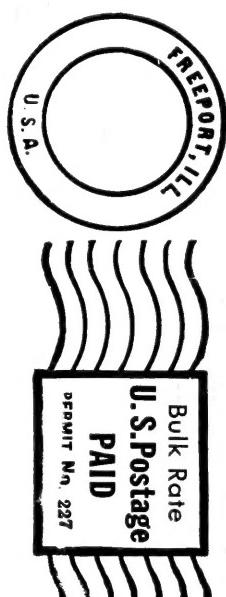
- Huge 2 to 3 inch Bulbs, Labeled, 45¢ ea; 3 for \$1.35; 6 for \$2.50; 12 for \$4.75.
- Mixed, Not Labeled, 3 for \$1.25; 6 for \$2.25; 12 for \$4.25.

Gorgeous Easily Grown Gloxinias, Brilliant Flowers, up to 5 inches across.

The easiest and quickest way to get showy gloxinias is to start with healthy bulbs. Plant from February to as late as early May to have a long period of bloom. From a thriving plant you may get as many as 35, even 40 or more wide open flowers of glorious color. Plants develop quickly. They will add glamour to your home.

Our Gloxinia bulbs come direct from Belgium. We have shipments arriving approximately every two weeks in order to have plump, fresh bulbs in stock at all times for filling your orders. With each order we send complete cultural directions so that you will be sure to have stunning velvety flowers from each plant for many weeks.

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